

THE TURF DAY'S SPORT ON AQUEDUCT AND OTHER TRACKS

MIKE ROSTAND SEES HIS COLLEGE BOY PITTSBURG CONTINUES ITS RUNAWAY PENNANT RACE

Invalid Turfman Places a Small Bet on His Horse Three Ways.

WINNER WAS A RANK OUTSIDER

Navasota, the New Orleans Filly, Beats Kennard in a Hard Drive.

THREE FAVORITES COME HOME

Winnie O'Connor Rode Another Family Horse, But Finished Second—He Should Have Won—Rostand Won His Second Race at the Meeting.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Fine weather and an unusually good card attracted one of the largest crowds of the meeting to the Aqueduct track this afternoon. Cool breezes swept over the course and made the spectators in the stands glad that they were there instead of in warm New York.

The racing, too, was of the best sort, close finishes in four of the events bringing the spectators to their feet, while rounds of applause greeted the victorious horses. No better day's racing has been seen at Aqueduct in a long time, and as three favorites and a strong second choice were registered among the winners, the afternoon was one of the most enjoyable of the season.

Dwyer Youngster Won.

M. F. Dwyer, the veteran turfman, who is now an invalid, sat on the club house veranda and saw his two-year-old Rostand capture the first event after a gallant struggle. The horse was one of the outsiders in the betting, and was not thought good enough to win by his owner, who placed only \$100 on him, three ways. When he won Mr. Dwyer was warmly congratulated.

Glennora's form has been so consistent this spring that the Washington horse was made a favorite in this event, closing at 11 to 10 in the betting, while J. J. McCaffrey's Joe Cobb and Bismarck were the most fancied of the others. Handsomer, the property of James R. Keene, was also strongly backed, while Heroine, a filly by Fidelio, was pointed down from 50 to 15. Rostand was quoted at 20 to 1.

Decorated Left.

The start was a good one for all but Decorator, who wheeled right after the barrier went up and was left. Rostand was off running and had soon opened a gap. The Dwyer horse led clear of his field to the turn for home, where Joe Cobb and Glennora began to close. Cochran went to the whip in the last furlong, and Rostand responded gamely.

Joe Cobb was catching Rostand fast at the finish, but Rostand managed to last to the wire and win by a neck. Glennora only a neck away, third, while Heroine was a close fourth. Rostand was given a hearty cheer when he returned to the stand.

The Dwyer colors were seen again in the fourth race, when Cincinnati went to the post carrying the all white. Cincinnati was being highly tried and is well thought of by Mr. Dwyer. The invalid turfman had a good bet down on his horse at 6 to 1, but Navasota, who was one of the best horses at New Orleans during the past winter, was made the favorite, and was heavily played not only at the track, but throughout the country.

The Goughacre entry, Hodge, was a consistent second choice at noon, with Kisco playing for a killing by the stable connections. Another poor start was effected, with Mount Kisco left standing, the horse having failed to break.

Navasota by a Head.

Navasota was the first to show, and soon had a commanding lead. Kennard went after the New Orleans horse, but Navasota easily beat him to the wire, finishing a length in front. Hodge was eight lengths away, with Cincinnati at his quarters. The time, 1:55.5, was fast.

Winnie O'Connor made his second appearance in the saddle when he rode his brother's colt, Malster, in the third race, and the horse was made a strong second choice, while McAdie, who had opened at odds on, receded to even money. There were only four starters, and the field got away in good order. McAdie set the pace to the stretch turn, with Malster running second.

O'Connor Shut Off.

O'Connor attempted to come through on the rail, but Graden cut across in front of him, and O'Connor was obliged to pull up. He got his horse to going again in the stretch, and was catching McAdie very fast at the finish, but the latter not heart a head in front. A stride or two past the wire Malster was in front.

O'Connor rode a great finish on the horse, and would have won with ordinary luck. Kilmoran was the other favorite, but he was shut out by Malster.

Aqueduct Results.

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First race—For two-year-olds and upward; selling: seven and one-half furlongs. Rostand (Cochran), 2 to 1, won; Joe Cobb (Miller), 1 to 1, second; Cincinnati (Dwyer), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:55.5.
Second race—For three-year-olds and upward; handicap: six furlongs. Edgemoor (Freeman), 3 to 1, won; Malster (O'Connor), 6 to 1, second; Graden (Winnick), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:50.
Third race—For three-year-olds and upward; selling: one and one-sixteenth mile. Joe Cobb (Miller), 3 to 1, won; Malster (O'Connor), 6 to 1, second; Graden (Winnick), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:50.
Fourth race—For two-year-olds and upward; selling: six furlongs. Navasota (Dwyer), 6 to 1, won; Kennard (Miller), 5 to 1, second; Hodge (Lambert), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:55.5.
Fifth race—For four-year-olds and upward; selling: mile and one-half. Rostand (Dwyer), 2 to 1, won; Joe Cobb (Miller), 1 to 1, second; Cincinnati (Dwyer), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:55.5.
Sixth race—For maiden three-year-olds; selling: one and one-half furlongs. Rostand (Dwyer), 2 to 1, won; Joe Cobb (Miller), 1 to 1, second; Cincinnati (Dwyer), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:55.5.

Selections for Today at Aqueduct Track.

First race—Saffire, Jack McGinn, Rough Rider.
Second race—Kilogram, Lane Fisherman, Ethies.
Third race—Belle of Milford, Meistersinger, Locket.
Fourth race—Blue and Orange, Examiner, Discus.
Fifth race—Carroll D., Tenagra, Quixada.
Sixth race—Impetuous, Soothsayer, Jane Kay.

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SENATORS OPEN SEASON OF 1902 WITH VICTORY

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ing fielders out of a modern rifle which had been concealed at his person. At any rate, there was a loud report, and then the local fans were afforded the satisfying sight of witnessing Mr. Hickman turn his back upon the immense audience and chase madly far into deep left field after an innocent piece of horsethief. Wolverton and Delahanty both scored.

In the second half of the third inning, when the Chicago team began chopping the ball over the heads of the infield. This exercise netted them two runs and completed their tally making for the day.

Complete score follows:

Washington	AB	R	IB	PO	A	E
Ryan, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kelster, cf.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Wolverton, 2b.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Delahanty, lf.	4	3	2	1	0	0
Coughlin, 2b.	5	2	3	6	7	1
Carney, 1b.	4	0	1	11	0	0
Ely, ss.	4	0	2	3	3	0
Mertes, rf.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Dillon, 1b.	4	0	2	3	1	0
Orth, p.	4	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	49	7	15	27	15	1

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Starnes, 3b.	5	1	1	3	4	0
James, cf.	6	3	2	0	0	0
Green, lf.	3	1	1	2	0	0
Ely, ss.	4	0	2	3	3	0
Mertes, rf.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Dillon, 1b.	2	1	1	9	2	0
McGuire, c.	3	0	0	4	2	0
Miller, p.	3	0	1	0	5	2
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Hickman, 1b.	5	0	1	2	0	0
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Perriss, 2b.	4	0	0	1	3	0
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ATHLETICS PLAY HAVOC WITH MCGRAW'S BIRDS

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TIGERS EASY FOR CHAMPS.

Chicago White Stockings Walk Away From the Detroit Ball Tossers.

(Special to The Washington Times.) CHICAGO, April 23.—The White Stockings, champions of the American League, opened the season here this afternoon by defeating the Detroit. Six thousand enthusiasts witnessed the game, which was won by a score 12 to 2. Callahan, who did the slab work for the home team, was in grand condition and was backed up by his team, while Miller, for the Tigers, pitching a masterly game, saw the men behind him pile up errors that rendered his best work vain.

There was nothing to mar the opening day except the coolness of the atmosphere. In spite of this fact the fans were anything but cool toward the men who have twice honored Chicago with the championship pennant. They were cheered lustily when they appeared, attired in their brand new white suits, and marched across the ball field, after hoisting the pennant to the top of the gigantic flagpole.

It was nearly 2:30 o'clock when the White Stockings lined up in the extreme northern portion of the field, and, preceded by the pennant and waving hands, hoisted it to the breeze, not to come down until the end of the pennant race of 1902. Giving three cheers for the flag, the players returned to the diamond and took up their various positions. Barlett of the Tigers advanced to the plate. Tom Connolly cried: "Play ball!" and the season was launched. Connolly had arranged to make this a gala day for the enthusiastic fans, who turned out to cheer their favorites in the beginning of the race.

The grandstand was decorated in red, white and blue bunting, and during the quiet moments the band played patriotic airs, in which the rosters joined ardently. But one error was made by the White Stockings. Davis was the only player who failed to field a ball sharply. It was a difficult chance which he took and had he succeeded in getting the ball and throwing it to first, a run would have been a marvelous bit of work.

Strang fielded his position perfectly. He had eight chances. Daily accepted them, and the Chicago team began chopping the ball over the heads of the infield. This exercise netted them two runs and completed their tally making for the day.

Boston was not heard from again until the ninth, when they inaugurated a batting rally. It was nipped in the bud, however, and the side was retired after one run had been scored.

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Stolen bases—Davis, Mertes, Daly.
Double plays—Elbertfeld, Gleason, and Dillon; Callahan, Daly, and Isbell. Hit by